Commission to investigate into certain allegations regarding sanction of loans of over Rs. 5000 crores to 50 projects on a single day, *i.e.* 20.12.2002.

(b) The Central Vigilance Commission has reported that they are enquiring into the matter.

(c) The Hon'ble Court has directed the Central Vigilance Commission to submit its report within four months from the date of order *i.e.* by 28.12.2005.

Schemes under SJSRY for NER

1350. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of schemes received from the North Eastern Region for creation of employment opportunities under the Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana (SJSRY) since its inception, year-wise;

(b) the scheme cleared for each State of the region, year-wise; and

(c) The schemes which are yet to be cleared along with the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA): (a) to (c) With a view to ameliorate the living conditions of the Urban Poor and providing employment opportunities to the Urban poor, Ministry of Urban Employment & Poverty Alleviation is implementing an employment oriented urban poverty alleviation programme named Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rozgar Yojana (SJSRY), on all India basis, including North Eastern Region, with effect from 1.12.1997. The Scheme is funded in poportion of 75:25 between Centre and the States. The SJSRY strives to provide gainful employment to the urban unemployed or under-employed poor through encouraging the setting up of Self-employment ventures by the urban poor and also through provision of wage employment by utilizing their labour for construction of socially and economically useful public assets.

Under SJSRY, Central funds are released to the States/U.Ts. for the implementation of the Scheme as per the Guidelines of the Scheme. The funds are released to the States/U.Ts. on the basis of prescribed criteria of receipt of Utilization Certificates for the Centrai funds released during earlier years and providing the matching State share for the earlier releases.

The Central funds released under SJSRY since its inception, State-wise and year-wise, in the North East State including Sikkim is given in the enclosed Statement.

Statement

Central Fund Released in the North East States under SJSRY (As on 30.11.2005)

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the State/ U.Ts.	Released during 1997-98	Released during 1998-99	Released during 1999-2000	Released during 2000-01	Released during 2001-02	Released during 2002-03	Released during 2003-04	Released during 2004-05	Released during 2005-06	Total released
I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII
1	Arunachal Pradesh	50.99	65.01	88.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	7.84	7.69	0.00	220.18
2	Assam	540.38	823.08	191.07	63.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	245.07	0.00	1862.90
3	Manipur	122.95	191.12	44.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	358.31
4	Meghalaya	73.24	118.45	27.30	19.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	237.99
5	Mizoram	69.63	125.64	146.30	126.77	70.52	105.15	522.79	491.04	0.00	1657.84
6	Nagaland	53.33	84.16	82.34	76.25	37.00	68.78	1.90	34.02	0.00	437.78
7	Sikkim	20.51	30.98	30.02	32.49	28.86	31.20	163.21	0.00	0.00	337.27
8	Tripura	93.98	157.74	82.52	162.00	84.99	114.31	354.26	352.18	0.00	1401.98
Total		1025.01	1596.18	692.44	479.81	221.37	319.44	1050.00	1130.00	0.00	6514.25